

Recommendation for Council Action

AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting: September 20, 2018 Item Number: 026

Public Health

Authorize negotiation and execution of the sixth amendment to the interlocal agreement with Travis County for the City's provision of public health services, for a 12-month period beginning October 1, 2018 in an amount not to exceed \$4,490,200.

Lead Department	Austin Public Health.
Fiscal Note	This item has no fiscal impact.
Prior Council Action	September 26, 2013 - council approved the current interlocal agreement for an initial term of one year from October 1, 2013, through September 30, 2014 with four 12-month renewal options.
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Additional Backup Information:

Pursuant to the terms of various agreements, Austin Public Health has provided public health services throughout the unincorporated areas of Travis County (County) since 1985. City and County staff worked together for several years in an effort to consolidate the patchwork of agreements and amendments for these services, resulting in an interlocal agreement (ILA) that was approved by the County Commissioners Court and City Council on September 27, 2007 and

October 18, 2007, respectively. This original ILA was renewed several times prior to adoption of the current ILA.

Today's action will authorize negotiation and execution of the sixth and final renewal term of the current ILA for a 12-month term beginning on October 1, 2018 in an amount not to exceed \$4,490,200.

Pursuant to this ILA, Austin Public Health will continue to provide public health services, such as HIV outreach & prevention, immunizations, disease surveillance, vital records, chronic disease prevention, communicable disease services, epidemiology and disease surveillance, Health Authority services, tuberculosis elimination, and environmental health services.